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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 20268-0001

Before Commissioners:

Ruth Y. Goldway, Chairman; Mark Acton, Vice Chairman; and Robert G. Taub

Competitive Product Prices Global Expedited Package Services 3 (MC2012-28) Negotiated Service Agreement

Docket No. CP2013-62

ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR TEMPORARY RELIEF

(Issued July 15, 2014)

The negotiated service agreement approved in this proceeding (Existing Agreement) is set to expire July 31, 2014.¹ The Postal Service filed a third motion requesting that the Commission extend the expiration date of the Existing Agreement.²

The Postal Service intends to enter into a new contract with the customer; however, a short window between the expiration of the Existing Agreement and the effective date of the new contract will create an interruption in the customer's access to negotiated rates. *Id.* at 1. In order to maintain continuity of pricing and other terms and

¹ See Order No. 1730, Order Approving an Additional Global Expedited Package Services 3 Negotiated Service Agreement, May 24, 2013. *See also* Order No. 2094, Order Granting Motion for Temporary Relief, June 17, 2014.

² Motion of the United States Postal Service for Temporary Relief for a Global Expedited Package Services 3 Negotiated Service Agreement, July 14, 2014 (Motion).

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conditions, the Postal Service requests that the Commission grant an extension allowing the Existing Agreement to remain in effect until August 31, 2014. *Id.*

The Motion is granted. The Existing Agreement is authorized to continue until August 31, 2014. Allowing the Existing Agreement to remain in effect temporarily is in the public interest and will not prejudice any person.

It is ordered:

- The Motion of the United States Postal Service for Temporary Relief, filed July 14, 2014, is granted.
- 2. The Existing Agreement is authorized to continue through August 31, 2014.

By the Commission.

Shoshana M. Grove Secretary